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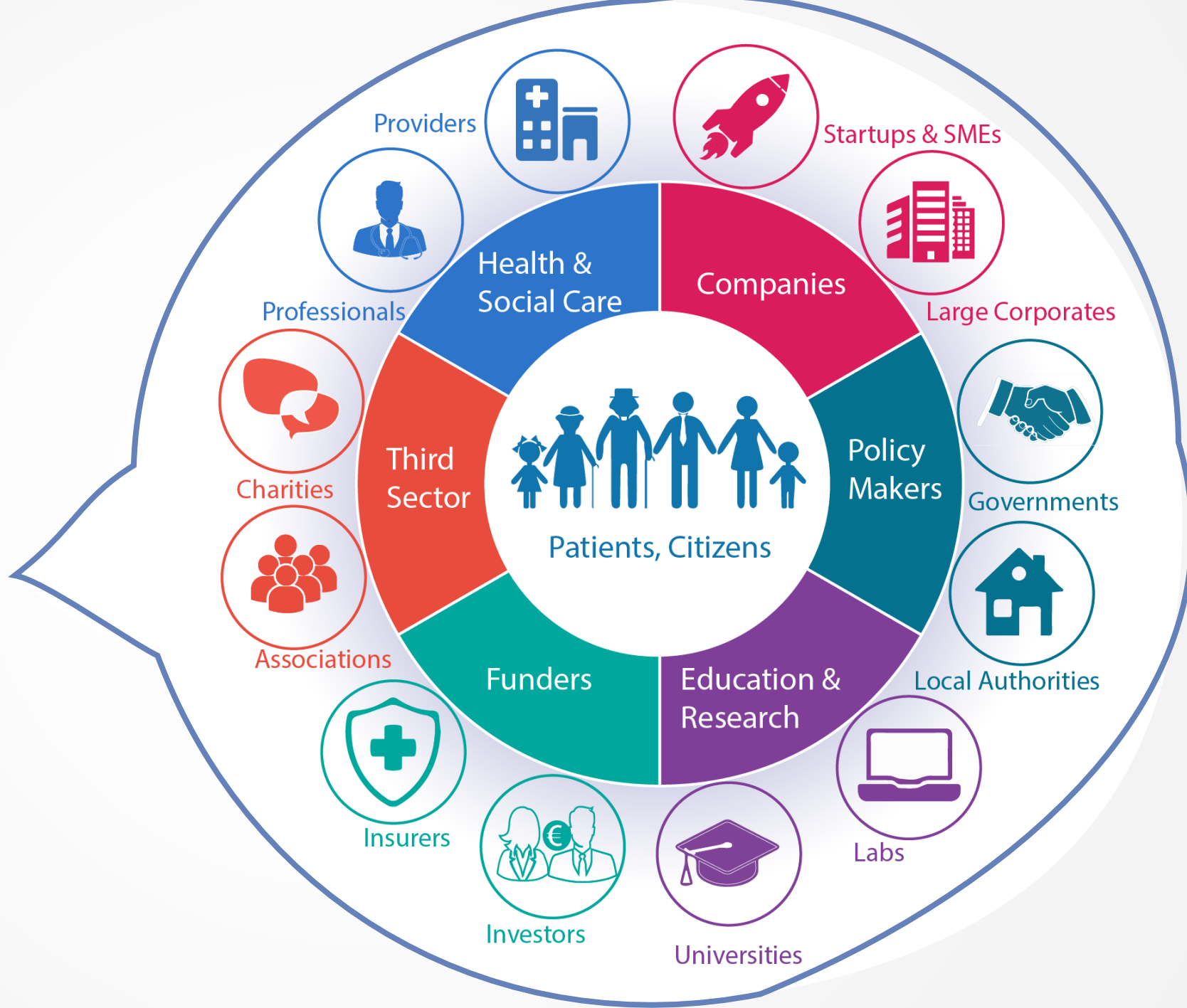


The Cyprus eHealth Law and the EHDS Regulation

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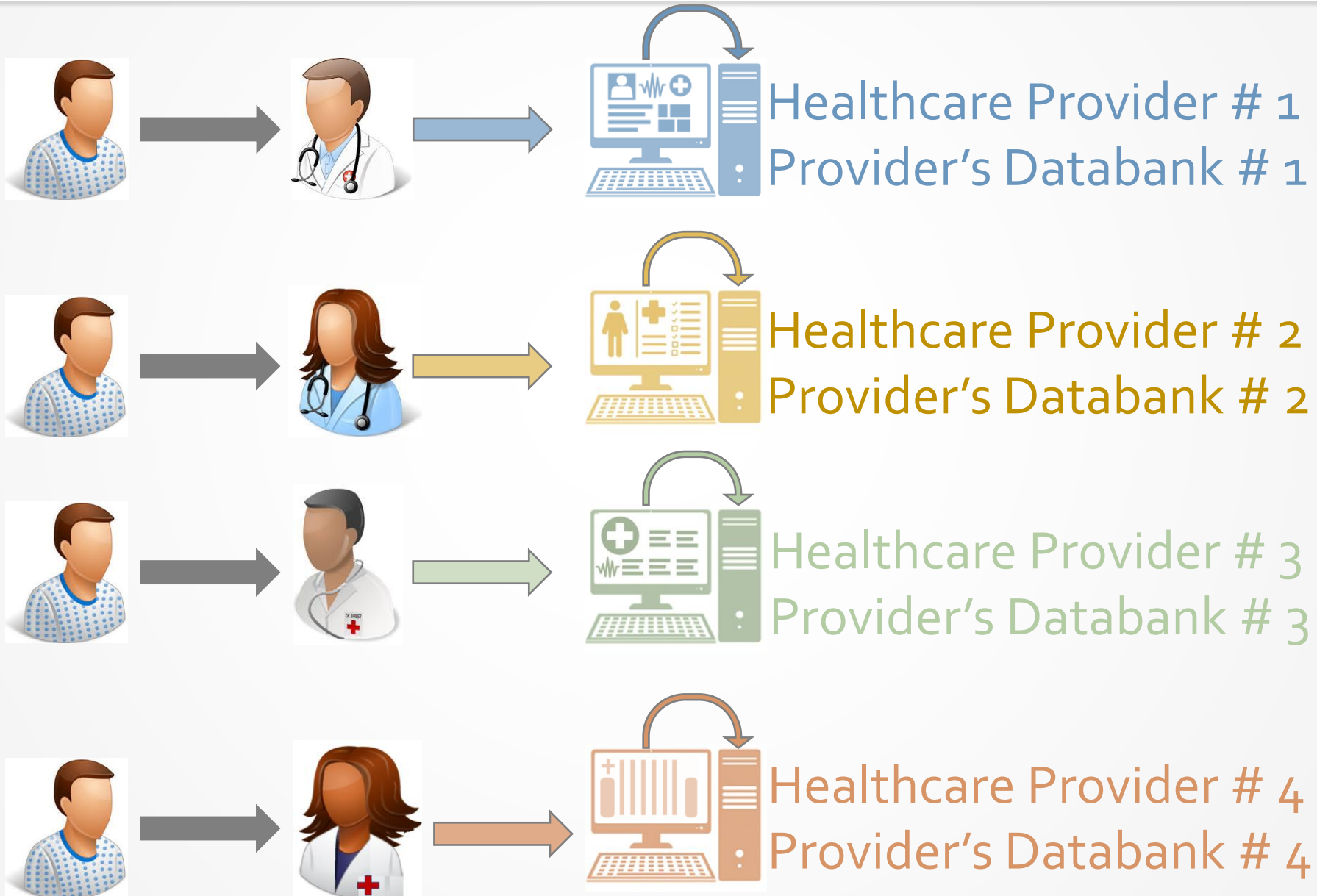


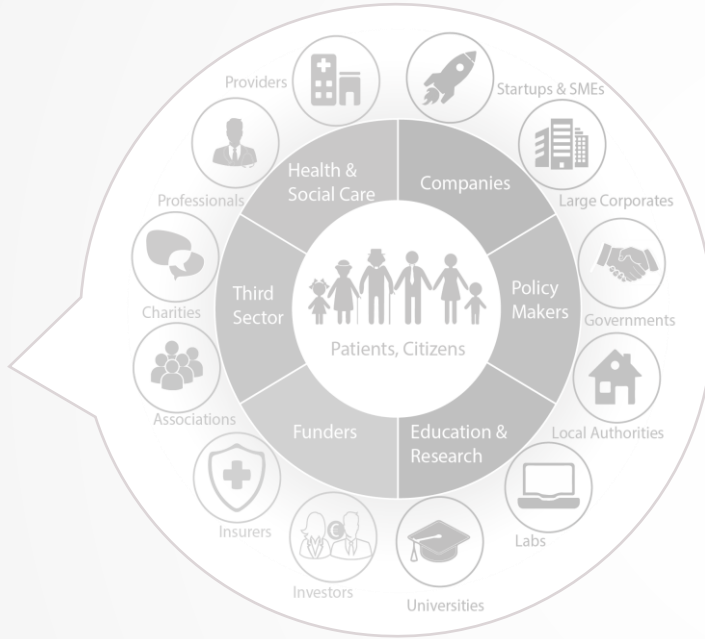
National eHealth Law N.59(I)/2019



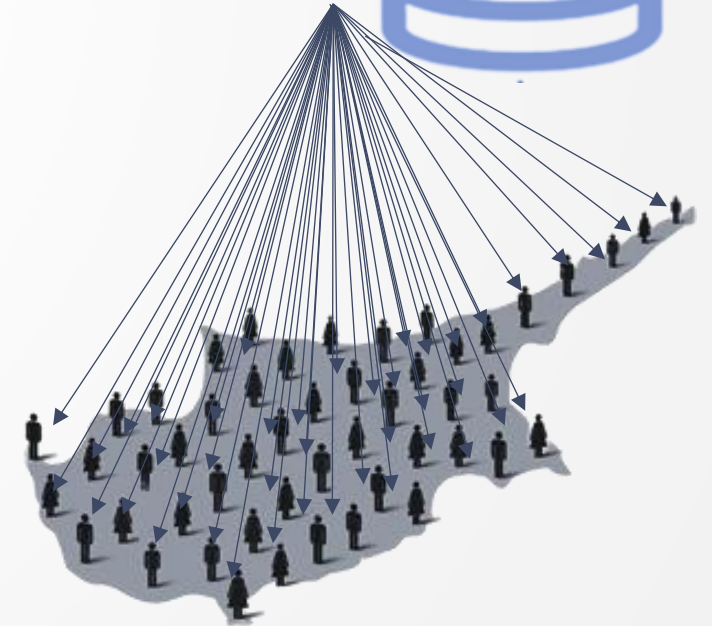


Current situation: Every Healthcare Provider has a Databank





National Electronic Health Record (EHR) Data Bank





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National eHealth Law

All citizens of the Republic of Cyprus become EHR holders at birth.

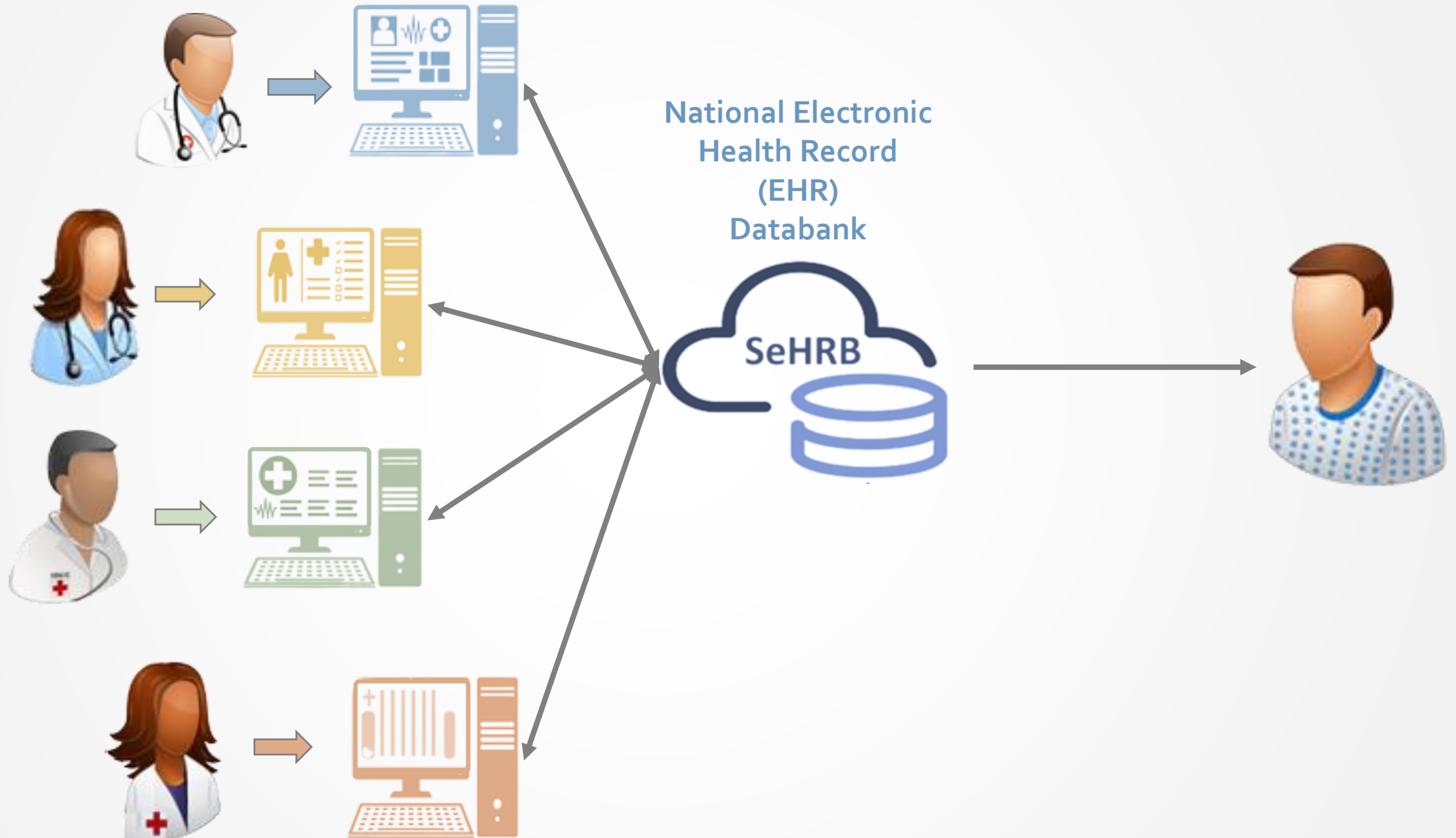
[N. 59 (I) / 2019, Article 20]

The National eHealth Authority (NeHA) establishes and operates a National Electronic Health Record Bank where the Citizen's Electronic Health Record is generated and stored.

[N. 59 (I) / 2019, Article 28]

Healthcare Providers shall have the necessary infrastructure to register, identify and connect to the Electronic Health Record as well as the necessary infrastructure to process and record health data related to his/her expertise and provision of healthcare to the citizen.

[N. 59 (I) / 2019, Article 25(b)]





National Contact
Points for eHealth
of EU Member State



Cyprus National
Contact Point
for eHealth

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[N. 59 (I) / 2019, Article 17(1)]

The NCP for eHealth of a Member State ensures cross-border healthcare by the direct transmission of data from the EHR to a healthcare provided in a different Member State through the corresponding eHealth NCP so that every European citizen receives the same healthcare regardless their country of residence, their country of travel and the country of the healthcare provider.



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National Electronic
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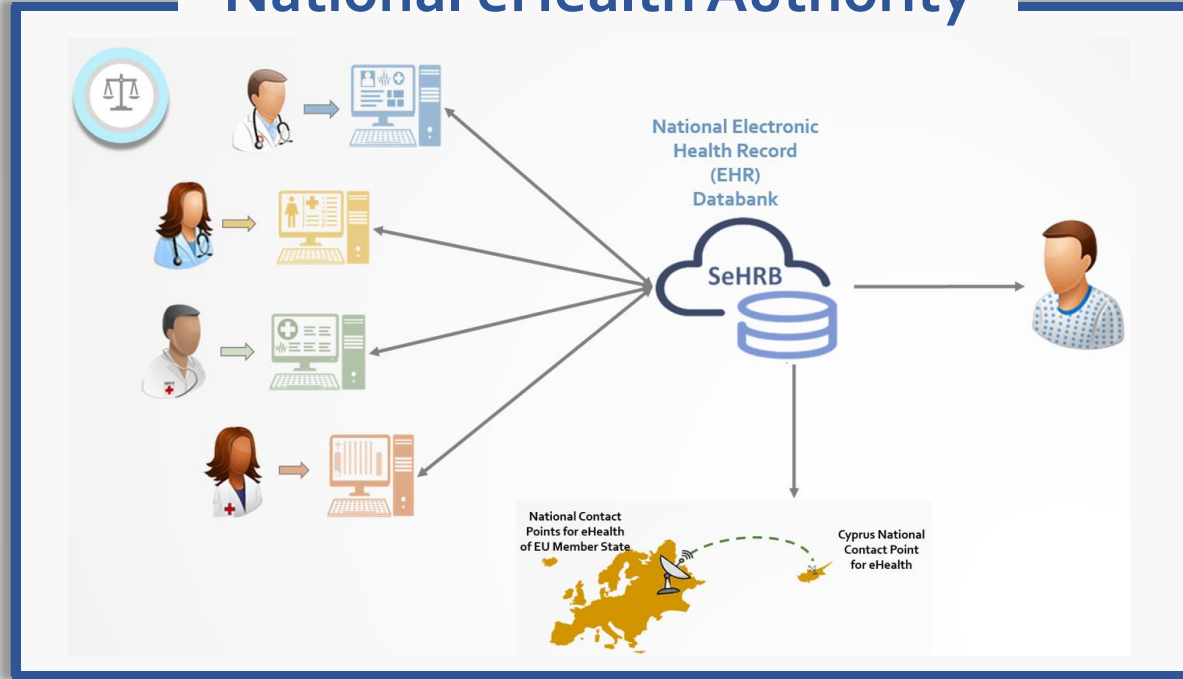


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National eHealth Authority



National eHealth Law

- Draw up regulations.
- Issue of binding instructions to holders and operators of health data banks.
- Perform technical inspections.
- Monitor Health Databanks.
- Define operating framework of the National EHR (EHR) Databank.

[N. 59 (I) / 2019, Article 16]



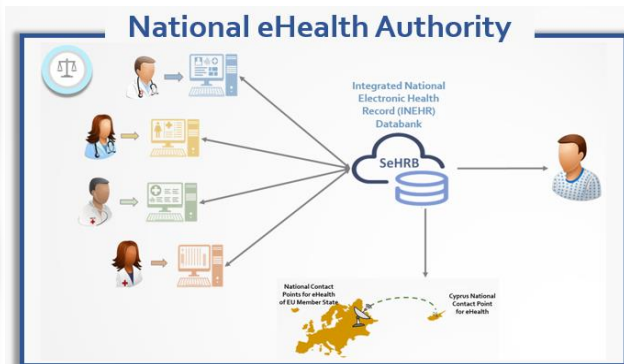
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- *The contents of the core set of health data* shall be determined by a decree of the Minister *on the recommendation of the Authority* and in accordance with the provisions of **Article 36** of the Implementation of Patients' Rights in the context of Cross-border Health Care Law.

[N. 59 (I) / 2019, Article 19(5)]

National eHealth Ecosystem

Law



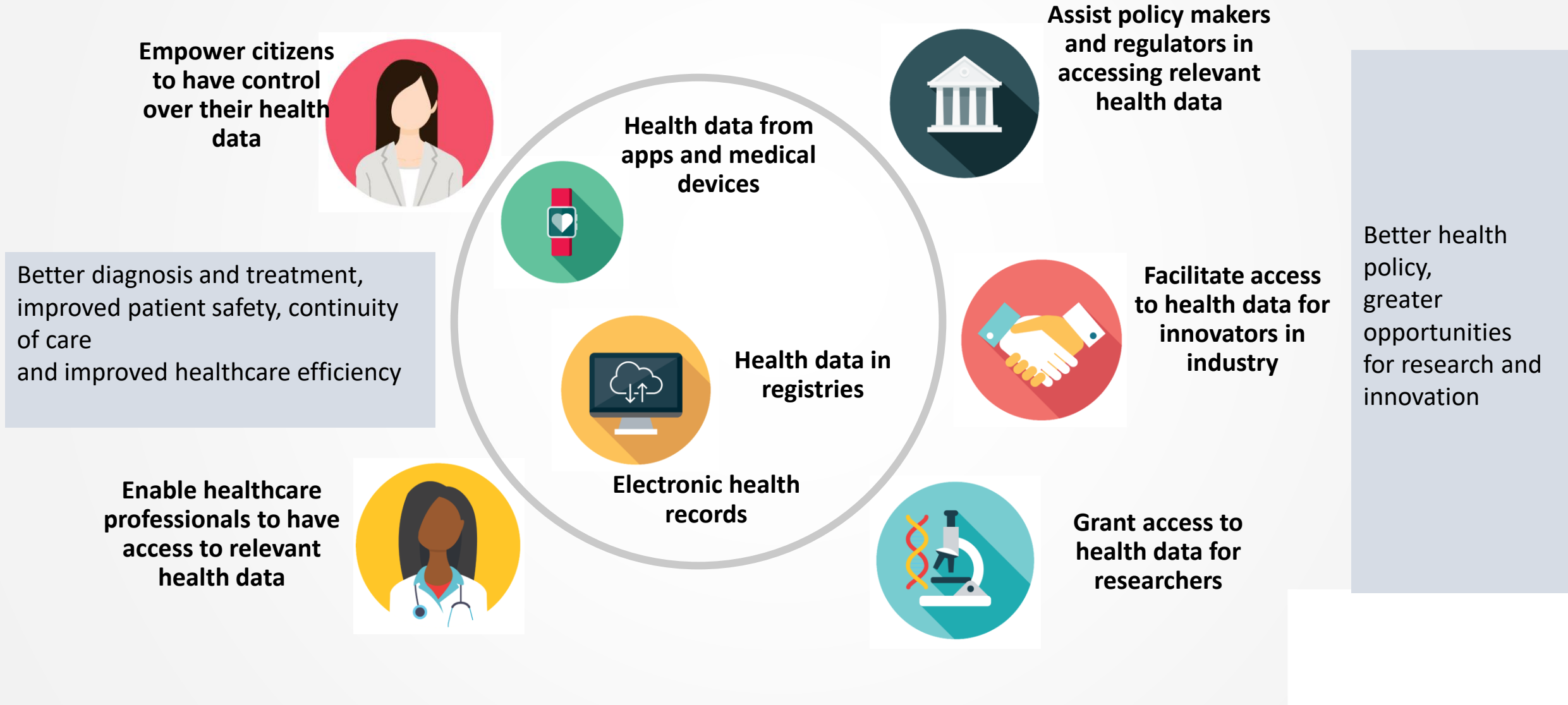
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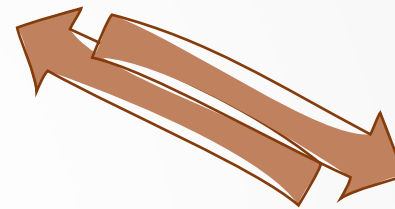
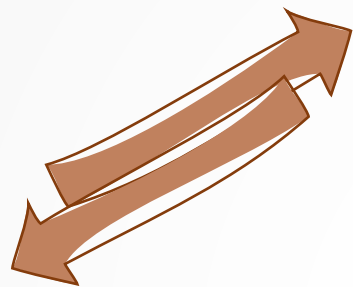


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User perspectives





Thank you

